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WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—Oregon has a natural interest in that part of the report of the Secretary of Agriculture which is devoted to permanent improvements on the Government's National Forests. Such work as the construction of miles of road and trail, telephone lines, drift and pasture fences, ranger houses and barns, has opened up and improved many square miles of territory in the thirteen National Forests in the State, and for these and similar purposes \$55,191.33 was spent during the last fiscal year.

Four hundred thirty-seven miles of trail and 24 miles of road were built, 78 miles of telephone lines were strung and the Forest ranges were improved by the construction of 39 miles of pasture fence. During the year 23 houses, to be used for ranger quarters, and 2 barns and 2 corrals, for rangers' horses were built. Four bridges were constructed and various miscellaneous improvements were made. In speaking of the permanent improvement work on all the National Forests, the Secretary of Agriculture has the following to say in his annual report:

"The agricultural appropriation act of 1908 included an item of \$500,000, which was made available for permanent improvement work on the National Forests. The object of this work is to help open up the forests to more use and provide means for their better and more economical protection, through the supply of means of communication and transportation, well-located field quarters, fire lines, fences to assist in the handling of stock, and watering places. These improvements are essentially investments of capital, which add greatly to the value and usefulness of the Forests.

"The work completed during the year including 3,400 miles of trails, 3,200 miles of telephone line, 100 miles of wagon road, 40 miles of fire line, 250 bridges, 550 cabins and barns, and 600 miles of pasture and drift fences. In addition to the sum provided by the special-improvement fund over \$100,000 from the general fund of the Service was turned from current expenses to defray the cost of this work, but much of the work planned and urgently needed could not be carried out because there was nothing with which to pay for it.

"Detailed estimates covering a total of \$2,000,000 for permanent improvements, which it was desired to complete in 1909, were submitted to the Congress. They showed for the entire amount exactly what it was proposed to undertake on each National Forest, and at what cost. The amount provided by the appropriation was \$600,000. For 1910 estimates will again be submitted for permanent improvements, the cost of which aggregate \$974,981. These estimates are the results of specific and fully itemized plans, which are on file in the Forest Service. They are in no sense a request for a lump sum, the spending of which remains to be planned in detail after appropriation is made. It is of urgent importance that this work should be provided for.

"Though the construction of permanent improvements entails the need of provision for their maintenance, the added efficiency of the Forests as economic resources secured through these improvements richly repays the cost. With the National Forests as with any other resources, their returns depend on the extent to which development takes place through judicious outlays of capital. If the land is not to remain a wilderness it must be made serviceable to the needs of civilized men by constructive expenditures.

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